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City Notes.

DISCHARGED FROM BANKRUPTCY.—Christian E. Connor, of this city, was yesterday discharged from bankruptcy by Judge H. W. Archbold, sitting in the United States district court.

A PECULIAR INJURY.—James Crane, of Canton avenue, Green Ridge, accidentally struck a table into his hand yesterday while eating, inflicting a serious laceration. His injury was treated at the Lackawanna hospital.

MEETING POSTPONED.—The meeting of the Catholic Historical society, which was to have been held last night in the Knights of Columbus club house, was indefinitely postponed, because of the small attendance, caused by the storm.

RUNAWAY ARRESTED.—A telegram was received last night by Superintendent Day announcing the arrest in Plainville, N. J., of a lad named Joseph Swift, of this city, who ran away with the circus train which showed here last week. The lad lived in the "Teah" ward.

EASTER SALE.—There will be an Easter sale at the Young Women's Christian association, 295 Washington avenue, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings, March 25, 26 and 27, under the management of the Misses Simpson, Simpson, Joy, Vetter and committee.

CULVERT BLOCKED.—The culvert which runs under Maple street, across Cedar avenue, became blocked last night and the water overflowed onto Maple street and Pittman avenue, causing a considerable flood and preventing the running of cars any farther than Maple street. The culvert was cleared later in the night.

MAY ELECT YOUNG GOLDEN. School Board Is Disposed to Take Such Action.

There is a lively struggle on the part of a number of residents of the Sixth ward for the vacancy caused by the death of Patrick Golden, the school controller from that ward. Among those seeking the honor are P. J. Murphy, Peter Walsh, William O'Malley, Joseph Drury and James O'Malley.

MINOOKA. A few Minooka young fellows who are prominent among the youngsters of this locality made a trip out on the mountain a few days ago in search of game, but were not out very long. They made a lively scramble for home.

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REORGANIZATION OF BOARD OF CONTROL

The Board of Control of the Scranton school district reorganized last night for the fiscal year 1902. John Gibbons was re-elected president of the board.

T. B. JACKSON DISCHARGED. No Longer Connected with Bureau of Building Inspection.

Building Inspector T. B. Jackson has been discharged from his office by Superintendent F. L. Brown, of the bureau of building inspection. The latter when asked yesterday why he removed Mr. Jackson, said:

Mr. Jackson was formerly in charge of the bureau of building inspection, but resigned upon request shortly after Recorder Connell assumed office. He was later employed by Mr. Brown, the newly appointed superintendent as assistant director of public safety.

Superintendent Brown will probably appoint a successor to Mr. Jackson within a few days and when the appointment is made it is understood that the man appointed will be one selected by Mr. Brown's own choice.

DIED BY HIS OWN HAND.

Illness and Inability to Get Employment Drove Frank Lesh to Suicide—Shot Himself in Head.

Frank Lesh, aged 42, a carpenter, committed suicide yesterday morning by shooting himself in the head, in his bed room at the family home, 1115 Albright avenue. Long standing illness and inability to secure employment are assigned by his friends as causes which drove him to the deed.

He was abed yesterday morning at 6.30 when his wife was about her household work and called to her to inquire if their older son had gone to work. She answered that he had and a few minutes later went into the back yard with their younger son to attend to some work.

The boy who was first to return to the house called to his mother that he had a message for her. His mother thought it was sulphur from the stove, but on examination proved her surmise incorrect. Then the true cause of the smell, like a flash, came to her mind, and pushing open the door of her husband's first-floor bed room, discovered him dead in bed with a bullet hole in his right temple.

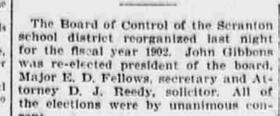
He was under the quilts lying on his back and his right hand, clutching a 32-calibre revolver, rested at his hip. It was not until he waited until he was alone in the house, arose, took the revolver from the bureau drawer and returning to bed shot himself. The bullet tore a large jagged hole in the temple and probably lodged against the opposite wall of the skull.

The family say he has been melancholy for twelve years, on account of ill health, but no one thought his melancholia was so intense as to drive him to suicide, though he sometimes declared he wished he was out of his misery. Raging headaches, resulting from chronic catarrh, were the principal causes of his complaints.

Up to the time of the strike he was employed in the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western cut shops. Since then he has not been able to secure work. This augmented his melancholy.

Coroner Saltry viewed the remains with a jury and will hold an inquest tonight.

The deceased was a man of exemplary habits and fairly well-to-do, owning his residence and another house which had a good rental value. Besides his wife, four children survive him.



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The cigars having been passed, Mr. Jennings asked all to stand and the following two toasts were drunk: "To the president of these United States, unsurpassed in his power, influence and resources," and "To the president of this united school board, no longer a house divided within itself; may he live long and prosper."

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Those present were: J. G. Rosar, Herman Notz, Peter J. Reif, B. T. Jayne, A. B. Eynon, W. B. Christmas, W. J. Welsh, F. S. Barker, George H. Shires, James Hopkins, John Gibbons, T. J. Jennings, O. B. Schriever, A. L. Francois, H. J. O'Malley, E. J. Leonard, Otto J. Robinson, Anthony Walsh, P. J. Lunagan, E. D. Fellows, R. D. Jennings, David J. Reedy, John Devaney, J. H. Phillips, D. J. Roche, M. J. Burns, B. M. Davis, M. J. Ruddy, John F. Gibbons, James P. Touhill.



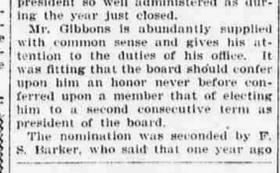
DAVID J. REEDY, Re-elected Solicitor of the Board for the Fifth Time.

On the board, proved himself a most efficient member. After Mr. Jennings' remarks the board adjourned sine die and the secretary called the roll of the new board. The new members were: W. B. Christmas, First ward; W. J. Welsh, Ninth ward; Otto Robinson, Eleventh ward; Peter Reif, Nineteenth ward; H. J. O'Malley, Third ward; J. H. Phillips, Fifth ward; D. J. Roche, Seventh ward; B. T. Jayne, Thirteenth ward; E. E. Evans, Fifteenth ward; E. J. Leonard, Twenty-first ward.

On motion of A. L. Francois, D. J. Roche was elected temporary chairman and Major Fellows was made temporary secretary. Nominations for chairman were called for and T. J. Jennings, who nominated Mr. Gibbons one year ago, again placed him in nomination. He referred to the fact that Mr. Gibbons was a member of the first school board of the city of Scranton which met twenty-five years ago and of which Hon. William Cornell was president. He has not been in the service continuously ever since but has given many years of faithful service to the board. Never during the history of the board, said Mr. Jennings, was the office of president so well administered as during the year just closed.

Mr. Gibbons is abundantly supplied with common sense and gives his attention to the duties of his office. It was fitting that the board should confer upon him an honor never before conferred upon a member that of electing him to a second consecutive term as president of the board.

The nomination was seconded by F. S. Barker, who said that one year ago



MAJOR E. D. FELLOWS, Re-elected Secretary of the Board for the Tenth Time.

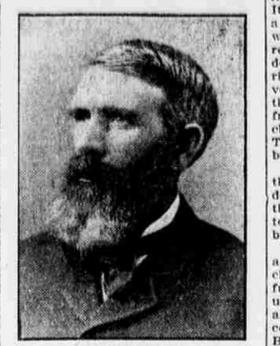
he cast one of the votes that made the election of Mr. Gibbons possible. The latter had made a most fair and impartial chairman and he was glad to vote for him again because he believes he will continue the policy he followed during last year. No one else was nominated and Mr. Gibbons was elected by the unanimous vote of the body.

In taking the chair Mr. Gibbons made a graceful little speech in which he said his re-election was the greatest of the many honors that had come to him during his life.

Dr. John O'Malley re-nominated Major E. D. Fellows for secretary and the nomination was seconded by Otto Robinson. The election was unanimous and the same was true of Attorney D. J. Reedy who was nominated by Henry J. O'Malley.

On motion of Mr. Jennings the old rules were adopted for the government of the board and the second and fourth Monday nights of each month were fixed as the time for meeting.

The newly-elected president, Mr. Gibbons, tendered a business last night at the St. Charles hotel, immediately after the meeting to the members of the



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SYMPTOMS OF RABIES.

Important Information That People Generally Should Become Acquainted with.

In view of the fact that an outbreak among dogs of rabies, canine madness or hydrophobia, has unfortunately appeared in this city, and also that an order has been issued from the department of public safety requesting owners to muzzle their dogs whenever the latter are allowed to run at large, it seems apropos to inform the public concerning a most important phase of the symptoms shown by a mad dog, that owners may be assisted to distinguish clearly between symptoms of rabies and those harmless diseases from which dogs may suffer.

Rabies appears in one of two forms, viz., the dumb or paralytic; the furious or irritable. The former may early be discerned by paralysis of the lower jaw. Because the jaw drops the dog's mouth is constantly open. Saliva runs freely from the mouth because the victim is powerless to swallow it. As a rule this kind of a mad dog is quiet and tranquil. It seeks a quiet place and lies there, but appears dull and dazed. The dog cannot bite because of the paralyzed jaw, hence is not dangerous. But if a person should put his hand in the animal's mouth and it was cut by the dog's teeth, the result would be the same as if bitten. Occasionally an active case of dumb rabies is seen. In its extreme restlessness the dog trots about, a pitious, woe-begone expression on its face, the mouth open and its lower jaw paralyzed. As the disease progresses paralysis extends to legs, back and entire body, when the dog dies.

In some outbreaks more cases in this class occur than of the furious kind. As such cases are comparatively harmless from beginning to end of the attack, this is indeed fortunate. A case usually die from the fifth to the seventh day. Occasionally the time is less—sometimes is extended.

The Green Ridge Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet at 3 o'clock at Mrs. B. T. Jackson's, 1299 Moneys avenue. An interesting programme has been planned for the meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested.

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